(b) whether Government also propose to introduce express and Mail train services in that region; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and by when this decision is likely to be taken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH): (a) to (c) At present there is no proposal to introduce additional train services or Rail Motor services on the Pathankot-Jogindernagar section due to operational and resource constraints.

Express train between Hyderabad and Goa

274. SHRI SOLIPETA RAMACHANDRA REDDY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to introduce an express train between Hyderabad and Goa;

(b) if so, by when; and

(c) if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Pune Railway Division

275. SHRI SURESH KALMADI:
MISS MABEL REBALLO:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Pune Railway Division has not become fully functional till now;

(b) if so, how long it would take to make it functional; and

(c) whether necessary budgetary provision is being made for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF